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Press Release
The Yas Hotel Wins Best Abu Dhabi Property Development



30 May 2010: The Yas Hotel was the recipient of the prestigious Best Property Development and Landmark Project award as announced at the Best In Abu Dhabi Awards hosted on Yas Island last night. The Best In Abu Dhabi Awards are a new initiative aimed at recognising the Capital's best in Hospitality, Culture, Social and Future developments. The Yas Hotel was commended for its iconic structure and design, being an identifiable landmark of Abu Dhabi's cityscape. Other nominations in the same category were Sheikh Khalifa Highway, the new airport terminal, and Yas Marina Circuit.

This award follows three others in quick succession for The Yas Hotel. The Aldar Hotels & Hospitality owned and managed property was recently awarded the Middle East's Leading New Hotel, World Travel Awards 2010; Best New Hotel, Arabian Hotel Investment Conference 2010; and Best Commercial, Office, Retail Built Development at the Cityscape Awards.

Commenting on the award Paul Bell, Managing Director of Aldar Hotels & Hospitality, said "it is an honour to receive this prestigious new award. The Yas Hotel has been very successful in achieving a number of international hospitality industry and design awards in recent months and all at Aldar are delighted and gratified to be recognised by our 'local' consumers for delivering a truly individual design experience".'

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Notes to Editors:

The Yas Hotel
Opened in November 2009, The Yas Hotel, operated by Aldar Hotels & Hospitality, is the first hotel in the world to span a Grand Prix circuit, hosting the inaugural 2009 Formula 1 Etihad Airways Abu Dhabi Grand Prix. Offering 499 luxuriously appointed guest rooms, international cuisine in 7 restaurants and pioneering design and architecture, The Yas Hotel will host several illustrious events in its first year, ranging from fashion to sports on a global scale. Located on Yas Island, The Yas Hotel is 10 minutes drive from Abu Dhabi airport, 15 minutes from Abu Dhabi's National Exhibition Centre and 50 minutes from Dubai Marina.

Yas Island
The Yas Hotel is located on Yas Island, a natural island measuring 7.5km by 6.5km, which is currently being developed by Aldar Properties PJSC. As well as Yas Marina Circuit and Yas Links 18-hole golf course, and Yas Marina the island will feature Ferrari World Abu Dhabi (the world's largest indoor theme park opening 28 October, 2010), a water park and Yas Mall, a super-regional retail experience.

Aldar Hotels and Hospitality
Aldar Hotels and Hospitality, established in 2007, has become an industry leader in Abu Dhabi, with well established, strong working relationships with leading global and regional hospitality brands and management companies offering products and services which redefine hospitality in Abu Dhabi and the region. Aldar Hotels & Hospitality strives to develop innovative and sustainable assets which deliver new and exciting experiences to Abu Dhabi, through outstanding, motivated staff with bright futures.

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